

PATENT APPLICATION

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CUSTOMER NUMBER 25944

In re the Application of

Akira EZAWA

Application No.: 09/361,312

Filed: July 27, 1999

For: ELECTRONIC CAMERA

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.
 - Small entity status of this application has been established.

Any additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL CLAIMS	17 MINUS	20	= 0
INDEP CLAIMS	4 MINUS	3	= 1
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SMALL ENTITY		
RATE	ADD'L FEE	
x 25	\$	
x 100	\$	
+ 180	\$	
		\$

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
R	RATE	ADD'L FEE
x 50	\$	
x 200	\$ 200	
+ 360	\$	
		\$ 200

- * If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.
 - ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" in this space (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

- Check No. 167604 in the amount of \$200 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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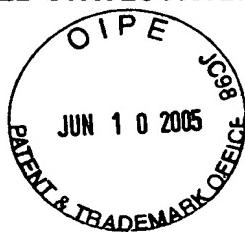
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Group Art Unit: 2612

Examiner: J. VILLECCO

Docket No.: 103903

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**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicant(s) hereby request(s) continued examination.

Applicant(s) further request(s) entry and consideration of the attached submission.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 167601 in the amount of \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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Date: June 10, 2005

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For: ELECTRONIC CAMERA ACHIEVING HIGHER FRAME SPEED (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

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Sir:

In reply to the January 11, 2005 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, and upon entry of the Request for Continued Examination filed therewith, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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